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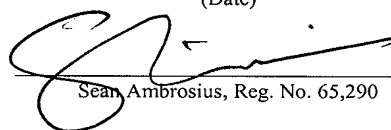
Applicant : Verbauwhede et al.
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For : LOGIC SYSTEM FOR DPA
RESISTANCE AND/OR SIDE
CHANNEL ATTACK RESISTANCE
Examiner : Matthew C. Tabler
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 16, 2009

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and comments in connection with the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.